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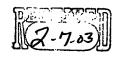
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#### **AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on November 7, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted:

In the Claims:

Please amend Claims 1 and 2 as follows:

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1. (Once Amended) A system for pointing by using position correction information and an associated image as a template, said system comprising:

means for comparing an image in the vicinity of a coordinate obtained from a pointing device with an image of a template;

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